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The musical score for 'The Brook' is a four-staff setting in C major and 2/4 time. The top staff is for the soprano, the second for the alto, the third for the tenor, and the bottom for the bass. The music is characterized by a continuous, flowing line of eighth and sixteenth notes. The key signature is C major, indicated by a single sharp sign. The tempo is marked 'VIVACE.' The vocal parts are separated by vertical bar lines, while the piano accompaniment is continuous across all staves.

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3. I steal by lawns and grassy plots, I slide by ha - zel covers; I

With many a curve my banks I fret, By many a field and fallow, And

2. I wind about, and in and out With here a blossom sailing, And

move the sweet for - get - - me notes, That grow for hap - - py lovers. I

many a fai - ry fore - land set With willow, weed, and mallow; I

here and there a lus - ty trout, And here and there a grayling; And

mur - mur un - der moon and stars In brambly wilder - nesses, I

slip, I slide, I gleam, I glance, A - mong my skimming swallows, I

here and there a snow - y flake Up - on me as I travel, With

lin - - ger by my shing - ly bars, I loiter round my cresses, And

make the netted sunbeams dance, A - gainst my san - dy shallows, I

many a silver wa - ter - break A - bove the gold - en gravel. And

8^a

p

rall fz

out again I curve and flow &c.

chatter, chatter, as I flow To join the brimming river. For
draw them along and flow &c.

p a tempo

men may come, and men may go, But I go on for ever, ever,
I go on for ev - er, ever, I go on for ever.

f

p

last time.

